Senate Referral: S. 3249 was held at the desk.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Seven yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4908–09, H4909–10, H4910, H4941–42, H4942, H4943–44 and H4944. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9:30 a.m. and at 8:31 p.m., pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 1484, it stands adjourned in memory of the Honorable Robert C. Byrd, Senator from West Virginia.

### Committee Meetings

## COMMERCE, JUSTICE, SCIENCE, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies approved for full Committee action the FY 2011 Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill.

## DEFENSE LANGUAGE TRANSFORMATION ROADMAP

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Beyond the Defense Language Transformation Roadmap: Bearing the Burden for Today's Education Shortcomings. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Nancy Weaver, Director, Defense Language Office, Office of the Under Secretary (Personnel and Readiness); and BG Walter Golden, USA, Director, J–1 Manpower and Personnel, Office of the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Sharon Pickup, Director, Office of Defense Capabilities and Management, GAO.

## WIND FARMS; IMPACT ON MILITARY READINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing on Wind Farms: Compatible with Military Readiness? Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Dorothy Robyn, Deputy Under Secretary, Installations and Environment; and MG Lawrence Stutzriem, USAF, Director, Plans, Policy and Strategy, North American Aerospace Defense Command and U.S. Northern Command; Nancy B. Kalinowski, Vice President, System Operations Services, Air Traffic Organization, FAA, Department of Transportation; and a public witness.

#### FEMA'S GRANT PROGRAMS DIRECTORATE

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Emergency Communications, Preparedness and Response held a hearing entitled "The Future of

FEMA's Grant Programs Directorate." Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Homeland Security: Elizabeth Harman, Assistant Administrator, Grant Programs Directorate, FEMA; and Anne L. Richards, Assistant Inspector General, Audits, Office of the Inspector General; and public witnesses.

#### U.S. SECRET SERVICE OPERATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security held a hearing on the Role and Operations of the United States Secret Service. Testimony was heard from Mark Sullivan, Director, U.S. Secret Service, Department of Homeland Security.

#### COMBAT ZONE SUBCONTRACTORS

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on National Security and Foreign Affairs held a hearing entitled "Contracting in Combat Zones: Who Are Our Subcontractors?" Testimony was heard from William Solis, Director, Defense Capabilities and Management, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Defense: Mary Ugone, Deputy Inspector General, Auditing; and Stuart Bowen, Jr., Special Inspector General, Iraq Reconstruction; and a public witness.

# SAME-DAY CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS REPORTED BY THE RULES COMMITTEE

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a rule to waive clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against certain resolutions reported from the Rules Committee. The rule applies the waiver to any resolution reported from the Rules Committee through the legislative day of July 3, 2010, providing for consideration or disposition of any of the following: (1) A conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 4173) to provide for financial regulatory reform, to protect consumers and investors, to enhance Federal understanding of insurance issues, to regulate the over-thecounter derivatives markets, and for other purposes. (2) A measure that includes a subject matter addressed by H.R. 4213 or any amendment pertaining thereto.

The rule authorizes the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules at any time through the legislative day of July 3, 2010. The Speaker or her designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this rule. Finally, the rule provides that it shall be in order